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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

Docket No.
CEDAR-044526



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF COMBINED AMENDMENT TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

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Re Application Of: Michele F. Levesque and Toomas Neuman **Group Art Unit** Examiner Filing Date 1635 April 7, 2000 Schmidt, Mary M. TRANSDIFFERENTIATION OF TRANSFECTED EPIDERMAL BASAL CELLS INTO Invention: NEURAL PROGENITOR CELLS, NEURONAL CELLS AND/OR GLIAL CELLS TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition-under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of _______ in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Five months ☐ Four months ☐ Three months ☐ Two months ☑ One month March 21, 2001 until: February 21, 2001 from: Date Date A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27: is enclosed. las already been filed in this application. The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** ADDITIONAL NUMBER EXTRA HIGHEST# **CLAIMS REMAINING** RATE CLAIMS PRESENT FEE PREV. PAID FOR AFTER AMENDMENT \$0.00 0 х \$9.00 27 TOTAL CLAIMS 27 \$0.00 \$40.00 0 X 4 INDEP. CLAIMS \$0.00 FEE FOR AMENDMENT \$55.00 FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$55.00 TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME 03/27/2001 TGEDAHU1 00000041 501597 09545428 01 FC:215 55.00 CH